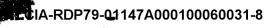


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Subject: Genments and Recommendations by Users of JANIS.

- 1. The following are comments and recommendations for JANIS, extracted from replies received to date in response to a letter circulated in the field by agencies represented on JTS:
 - A. That a uniform up-to-date index system be devised and urged fer adoption by all U.S. intelligence agencies. (CINCPAC)
 - h. That corrections to JANES of critical areas be prepared and promptly disseminated in the same form as the original elects. (A universal index system would make this possible directly from intelligence reports with a minimum of additional research and editing). (CINCPAC)
 - 2. That publications be produced in lease-leaf bindings, in order that corrections or additions may be readily incorporated. (COMSPLT IIQ. STRAT. AIRCHE.)
 - 4. That JANES be frequently revised, from air recommissance, field sources, additional research in Washington, etc. (CONSPIR, COMMATCHULANT, PEPPAC, GGS PAT, HOPAG.
 - 2. That our troops now in overseas areas colle of first hand data for new JANIS', and to correct existing ones. (COMBATCRULANT HQ USPCT)
 - 1. That the number of earlal photographs vertical, oblique, and mosaic - in dawis' be increased. (COMPUT, COMBATCRULAT)
 - 2. That progress reports, in the form of world charts, showing status of JANES' and other studies completed, projected, and under revision, be distributed quarterly to holders of JAMIS. (GOBCPAC)
 - h. That sufficient ground and aerial photographs be included to give adequate pictorial representation, and when serial photographs are available, the photographic interpretation be in-(FWYPAC)

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- 1. That JAMES' provide background and data not likely to be affected by war rather than up-to-the minute information. (COMDESPAC HQ PAG)
- 1. That JAMIS' include, for planning purposes, comments and esservations relative to political and essentic trends in specific localities.
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/s/ F. R. Alexander

F. H. ALEXANDER, Secretary.